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**COMMENTS ON STATEMENT OF ALLOWANCE**

Dear Sir:

This is in response to the Notice of Allowability dated September 14, 2005 to which was attached an Information Disclosure Statement dated June 20, 2005. In this IDS, the Examiner initialed all items except for item 62, namely office action dated 4/1/2005 in US Application 09/874,904 (14 pages). It appears that not initialing of this one item was an inadvertent oversight.

Also, the Reasons for Allowance indicates in paragraph 1 that Claims 1-21 and 41-55 are allowed. Although Claim 56 is also allowed as stated in paragraph 2 and in the Notice of Allowability, failure to mention Claim 56 also appears to be an oversight.

Examiner is respectfully requested to confirm that they have reviewed item 62, and further that Claim 56 is allowed, in a supplemental allowance notice.

If there are any questions, please call the undersigned at 408-982-8203.

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**NOTIFICATION OF CHANGE IN SMALL ENTITY STATUS**  
**( as per 37 C.F.R. § 1.27(g)(2) )**

Dear Sir:

This is a notification of loss of entitlement to claim small entity status that was previously established for the assignee of the above-identified application, as required by 37 C.F.R. § 1.27(g)(2).

Specifically, during this year, assignee does not wish to claim small entity status.

The undersigned is the attorney of record for the above-identified application.

Should there be any questions concerning this paper, please call the undersigned at (408) 982-8200, ext. 3.

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